

SLEEP AND DEATH.

Condition Wherein the Element of Time is Estimated.

man in Hiawatha, Kan., who slept continuously for three years uninterruptedly since the first part of September, died the other day. He passed from sleep which simulated death into the sleep which is no waking in this world. The incident illustrates the close analogy between sleep and death, especially in the estimation of the time element. One man into a sound sleep and awakes in the morning. He has not been conscious of the lapse of time. If he slept eight days, it is all the same to him, so far as the passing of time is concerned, as if he had slept only one minute or one hour. May not an appreciation of the fact rob death of some of the horror with which it is invested by many people? Some people, who have an unshaken faith in the ultimate awakening, trouble themselves about the long dreary sleep of death which may last for countless years. They wonder if the spirit may be doing in that eternally cheerless reach of time, should there be much wonder or much dread when in natural sleep the element of time or duration is eliminated from the consciousness and the consciousness of a day is but as the knowingness of a minute? A man goes down at night and in the morning awakes. After awhile he will lie in death and in the morning he awakes. In the one case he sleeps in hours; in the other he may sleep for centuries. The wide-awake in either case will move on in its orbit, its changes and evolutions, with the sleeper there is no note of time or action. The sleeper who awakes after a thousand years of slumber may be surprised at the early coming of the morn. There is no time but as yesterday, when it is past, as a watch in the night."—Nash Banner.

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POINTED PARAGRAPH.

The less luck a man has the more he despises it.

Some smiles look as though they had been soaked in vinegar.

The girl who is never seen to blush may have been born to blush unseen.

Marriage is the greatest lottery of life—and lotteries are illegal.

Slight no man because of his poverty and esteem no man because of his wealth.

Sometimes a man is judged by his appearance and sometimes by his disappearance.

Respectability may be contagious but folks can't always catch it when they want it.

Bonnets are now made to match gowns, but, strange to say, no one thinks of trying to make them match purses.

A widow is always trying to make a man believe she thought he was going to kiss her.

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Mr. Manning's Grudge.

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